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Docket No. 5000-4841

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Kazuo MURAKAMI, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/765,155                      Group Art Unit : 3742  
Filed : January 17, 2001                      Examiner: Daniel Leon Robinson  
For : MOTOR-DRIVEN COMPRESSOR COOLED BY REFRIGERANT GAS

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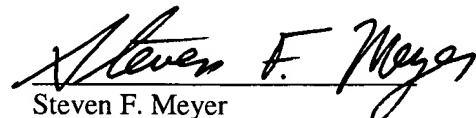
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 4, 2003 constituting a requirement for restriction in the above-identified application, election is made to prosecute the claims in the Examiner's Species A. Claims 1, 3-11 and 13-16 are all readable on the elected species. The election is made without traverse.

It is believed that claims 1, 4-11, and 14-16 are generic. Action on the merits of claims 1, 3-11 and 13-16 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 2, 2003

  
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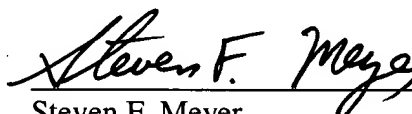
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